

## Purchases for Holiday Presents

Should be made as early as possible for the comfort and convenience of the purchaser.

In casting about in your mind for presents for the loved ones, please remember that almost every article carried in our stock would make a useful, sensible and acceptable gift for a man or boy.

### Here's a Short List That May Help You.

Suit of Clothes, Overcoat, Hat, Umbrella, Neckwear, Suspenders, Collars, Cuffs, Gloves.	Cuff Buttons, Handkerchiefs, Dress Shirts, Scarf Pins, Shirt Studs, Collar Buttons, Shoes.	Traveling Case, Overgaiters, Overshoes, Fine Plush Caps, Muffler, Leggins, Slippers.
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Smoking Jackets, Bath Robes, and Fine Furs for men, will be sold from illustrated catalogue and ordered by telegraph.

**J. H. ANDERSON & CO.**

## The Leader Of Them All

There is no shoe on the market that can compare with

### Our 1.50 Leader.

Every pair stamped with our name and sold under a guarantee.

**Petree & Co. Sign of the Big Boot.**

## If We Are Right, In Taking It For Granted

That you will need some harness this month, we want to see you at  
**207 SOUTH MAIN STREET.**

We have taken special care in the selection of our goods this fall and are confident that we can please you with the quality of our stock. We not only carry the largest and best selected stock of

### Harness and Saddlery

in the city, but we devote our entire attention to this line and for that reason we can name prices that will surprise you. Don't fail to

### See our Line of Lap-robcs.

We bought before the tariff on these goods went into effect and can save you 35 per cent. on your purchase and show you more different patterns than all other houses in the city, combined.

**Remember** We are here to please you and it is no trouble to show our goods.

**F. A. YOST & CO.**

Exclusive Harness and Saddlery House.

### WILL DAVISON'S LUCK.

Supposed to be the heir of \$100,000—Miss Dora Leichhardt Will get a Like Amount.

"An interesting piece of news has just come to light concerning a snug fortune which Miss Margaret C. Peters and her daughter, Miss Margaret Peters of the St. James Apartment House, will shortly come into. It seems that Mr. William S. Davison, Sr., Mrs. Peters' father, owned much property in Chicago, and many years ago gave the city a handsome tract of land for Union Park in west Chicago. It was given, however, upon the condition that the land revert to his heirs, should it ever be sold for city lots. The property, which is valued at \$500,000, is now being sold into lots, and according to the agreement the five heirs, of which Mrs. Peters is one, should each receive \$100,000. Chicago is negotiating with the heirs to buy this land, but as yet nothing definite has been done. Mrs. Peters is related to Mr. L. S. Davison, of 1022 Second street, who is also one of the heirs to this estate. Miss Margaret Peters is a handsome brunette and is one of Louisville's most charming daughters. She is an accomplished musician, and for several years has been teaching instrumental music."

The above article from the Louisville Post of Saturday was the first intimation to two of the five heirs alluded to, who live in this city, in respect of their secret fortune. The news soon spread over the city and the whole town is rejoicing with the lucky ones and hoping that there is no mistake in the report, which seems straight enough.

The five children of the late W. S. Davison, Sr., are the five heirs referred to. Four of them are still living. They are Mrs. M. C. Peters, L. S. Davison and E. R. Davison, of Louisville and W. S. Davison, of this city. The fifth child was Miss Lucy Davison, who married Herman G. Leichhardt, in this city, about twenty years ago. She died ten or twelve years ago, leaving one child, who is now Miss Dora Leichhardt, a young lady just completing her education. She makes her home with her uncle, Mr. Davison, and attends school in this city.

W. S. Davison is one of Hopkinsville's best citizens. He is at the head of the retail department of Forbes & Bro's immense business and is a poor man, dependent upon his salary for his support. His family consists of a wife and two bright little girls aged 6 and 7 years. No family in the city has more friends, and all will rejoice with them in the good fortune that seems to have come their way. Mr. Davison lives on the same street and in the square with Dr. T. W. Blakey, whose wife recently inherited a large fortune from an uncle in California.

### North Christian.

Pon, Ky., Dec. 11.—Mr. Ben Marques moved his family last week into the house lately vacated by Mr. J. J. Barnes, who moved to your city.

Miss Lula Hord is visiting the family of Ben Marques this week. Her sister, Mrs. Media Smith, of Hopkinsville, is also visiting the family above mentioned.

Mr. Willis Solles spent last Sunday with Mr. Lee B. King's family, talking to his best girl.

Mr. N. O. King's family spent last Sunday with his brother here Mr. L. B. King.

Mr. James G. Yancey, who lives near here, and is supposed to weigh 600 pounds. Who can beat that?

Mrs. Miles is improving from her recent attack of pneumonia. Miss Carrie Kelly, the grand-daughter of Mrs. Miles, is better. She had the same fever.

The farmers have begun to cut sprouts and briars, and will start their plows in our neighborhood soon.

Mrs. Bob Alton, of Hopkinsville, is visiting her father's family, Mrs. Gus Robinson, this week.

Mr. Meriland Hord is the best farmer of our neighborhood; he is about through breaking corn land for next year.

Mr. Willie Johnson and Miss Nauie West were last Thursday night at Mr. B. H. West's. They have moved to Mr. West's to make their future home. Miss Nauie was a child from the Baptist orphan home at Louisville. Mr. West adopted her when she was a small girl. She married a good honest boy.

### HONEY BEE.

E. L. Veach, a well-known horse trader, was arrested Friday on a warrant sworn out by Mr. G. W. South, all charging him with disposing of some personal property mortgaged by him. He was held over and being unable to give a \$200 bond was sent to jail, but subsequently tried and fined \$25, which he paid and was released.

The negro who murdered a woman and her four children near Wesson, Miss., has been lynched.

### CREAM OF NEWS.

IF IT IS NEW AND TRUE THIS COLUMN HAS IT.

Smarter Caught—Brahman Killed—Sedition Case—Big Turkey Shipments—News Items Gathered Up.

**Cought by Detective Coffey.**  
About a week ago the store house at Guthrie recently occupied by Ed Bradley, and filled with liquors, bar fixtures, etc., was burglarized. Officers were immediately notified of the robbery and on Thursday evening a negro named Tom Burton, was arrested by Detective R. H. Coffey, charged with the crime.

### Whorehouse Charge.

Buch Cannon, who was arrested one day last week on a warrant charging him with criminally assaulting Mrs. Richardson, was to have been tried Friday, but the husband of the lady appeared before the County Judge before the case was called and withdrew the charge. This, of course, ended the matter.

### Change of Run on the C. & P.

The run of trains on the Clarksville & Princeton branch of the L. & N., has been changed again. The train crew now spend the night in Gracely, instead of Clarksville. The morning train leaves Gracely for Clarksville at an early hour, arriving at 8:55. Returning it leaves Clarksville at 4 p. m. No connection is made with the L. C. at large.

### Killed While Coupling Cars.

C. E. McKenna, an L. & N. switchman at Earlington, was killed Thursday night. He backed the train to make a coupling and while taking the link out of the automatic coupling, caught his foot under the switch handle and was thrown to the ground. He was pinned over his body, disembodying him and causing instant death. His remains were taken to Louisville, his home, Friday morning for interment.

### Young Married Man in Trouble.

A young man named James Knight, who lives in the Clardy neighborhood, in Lantier's district, has been arrested on a seduction warrant sworn out by a daughter of John Ford, of the same neighborhood. Knight was held over Friday on a \$200 bond, which he gave. For charges Knight with the paternity of her child and says he promised to marry her, but failed to do so and married another girl.

### May Will Return to December.

Richmond, Ky., Dec. 11.—Dora Clay, the child wife of Gen. Cassius M. Clay, sent him a letter this morning by her brother, Clem Richardson, stating that she wanted to return home. Gen. Clay sent her word that his horse and buggy were at her disposal at any time and that his doors were not barred against her. Mrs. Clay has regained her health and was out shopping to-day. She will return to Walte Hall next Thursday.

### Infanticide at Kirksmansville.

Elkton, Ky., Dec. 10.—Yesterday some men found in the corner of Barton Smith, who resides about four miles from Kirksmansville the body of a white infant a few hours old with its throat cut. The body was wrapped in an old sack and covered with leaves. Certain persons are under suspicion, and as the grand jury, which is now in session, has the case in hand, arrests are likely to be made at any moment.

### Poultry Show at Shelbyville.

Shelbyville, Ky., Dec. 9.—The second annual mid-winter exhibition of the Central Kentucky Poultry Association is now in progress here with about 600 birds of all the standard varieties competing for the prizes. Chicken fanciers freely admit that it is by far the best show ever given in this section of Kentucky. The birds are all scoring high, even with such an exacting judge as Mr. Reinhold to mark them. The show will close tomorrow.

### Turkeys for Christmas.

The C. F. Jean Produce Co., of this city, of which Mr. Ed Bowers is manager, advertised last week in the KENTUCKIAN for turkeys and they got \$3,000 worth in three days. The shipments consisting of a carload of more than 4,000 pounds, was shipped to Evansville Saturday night, where they will be dressed and sent to the New York market for Christmas. The market for eastern shipments has closed, as it takes ten days to dress the fowls and get them to New York in time for Christmas.

C. B. Buckley, of Springfield, O., a politician, has eaten 35 quails on a wager of \$25 that he would eat 60 in 30 days. Buckley ate a fried rat three days ago and offered to bet \$25 that he could eat nine fried rats in eighteen days, but he had no takers.

### KENTUCKY CROP REPORT.

Condition of Crops and Live Stock December 1st, 1897.

For this month 136 correspondents reported from 95 counties.

### WHEAT.

The month of November has been unusually favorable to the growth of the wheat crop and as a result a considerable portion has reached what is considered an advanced stage, considering the very late start it made.

The general tenor of remarks of correspondents is that the crop promises well and a few consider the outlook very fine. Of course much will depend upon what is met with during the winter in the way of sudden and hard freezes when unprotected by snow.

Should the crop be visited with the average amount of hardship during the winter the result may be disastrous.

Considerable wheat was sown during November, the acreage, compared with 1896, having increased from 90 per cent. on November 1st, to 103 on December 1st. The returns from Assessors' reports show the acreage 1896 as 614,623 acres; the estimated acreage for 1897 would, therefore, be 657,748.

### CORN.

Corn is reported cribbed without damage since the middle of May. Correspondents report the crop light and chaffy, and not yielding as well as indicated earlier. As to quality 24 correspondents report good, 71 average and 36 bad. The yield for the State averages 21.55 bushels per acre. In 1896 the average yield was 27 bushels per acre. The returns of the County Assessors in 1896 show the average yield of 21.55 bushels per acre, gives a total of 54,599,038.

The number of correspondents reporting hemp appears to gradually decrease. The estimated yield per acre is 830 lbs. In 1896 the average was 1,012 lbs. In 1897 it reports it good, 2 1/2 average and 1 bad.

### LIVE STOCK.

The condition of all live stock shows an improvement during the month. The condition of hogs is 95; cattle, 92; sheep, 94 and hogs 94. On November 1st these conditions were 87, 86, 90 and 87.

### A WARNING.

Information has reached me that Australian rabbits are being kept in pens in this and other sections of the State. I feel it my duty to call the attention of those owning these apparently harmless creatures to their wonderful powers of destruction and the rapidity with which they increase in numbers. The female brings forth her young, 4 to 6 in number, every month. It can easily be seen that a single pair turned loose would in a year or two make themselves felt in that section and would rapidly spread to adjoining sections. They are especially destructive to young orchards and garden crops. Being a burrowing animal it is an easy matter for them to tunnel underneath the enclosures intended for their confinement. The English sparrow, however, is a pest which is now suffering should serve as an object lesson against the importation of any more foreign pests.

The publication of the monthly crop reports will close with this issue until the opening of the growing season next spring.

I desire to express my thanks and the obligations of the Bureau to the correspondents throughout the State and to solicit their further valuable services when the work is resumed.

LUCAS MOORE,  
Commissioner of Agriculture.

### Brakeman Killed.

Earlington, Ky., Dec. 10.—The remains of C. E. McKenna, the L. & N. switchman, who was killed in the railroad yards here last night at 11:20 o'clock, were taken to Louisville this evening for burial. The father of the deceased lives there, and that was formerly his home. While backing a train to make a coupling where two automatic couplers came together McKenna walked with the moving car between the rails, and was taking a link and pin out of a coupler. He caught his foot between a switch handle and a cross tie, was thrown under the wheels and disembodyed, dying instantly. McKenna was a young man, and leaves a wife and baby.

### A Frog Seven Years Old.

Mrs. M. W. Robinson, of Crofton, has a frog in her flower pit that has to her certain knowledge made his home there for seven years. She has seen the frog frequent the ferns and is confident it is the same frog. He used to be greenish in color but as he grows older is turning to a light grayish color.

When attacked by two boys in the outskirts of Paducah, Mary Purdie, a married woman, drew a pistol and fired. The men fled.

Liberal advances on tobacco in store. All tobacco insured otherwise instructed.





## Vigor & Verdicts

AYER'S HAIR VIGOR fulfills all the promises made for it, is the verdict of those who have tried it.

**Ayer's**

"I have sold Ayer's Hair Vigor for fifteen years and do not know of a single case where it did not give entire satisfaction."—F. M. CROFT, Faussett, Ala.

**Hair**

"When disease caused my hair to fall out, I found Ayer's Hair Vigor a most excellent preparation, and one that does all that is claimed for it."—L. L. RUSH, Councilville, Pa.

**Vigor**

"AYER'S HAIR VIGOR does all that is claimed for it. It restored my hair, which was becoming gray, back to its natural color—dark brown."—W. H. HARTSHOFF, Patterson, N. J.

**Did It**

"My head became full of dandruff, and after a time my hair began to fall out. The use of AYER'S HAIR VIGOR stopped the dandruff and made the scalp clean and healthy."—MRS. C. M. AYRES, Mount Airy, Ga.

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OFFICE 219 SOUTH MAIN STREET.

—TUESDAY, DEC. 14, 1897.—

W. B. Frauke, a brother of E. T. Frauke, died of consumption last week, aged 29 years.

The first number of the *Bankwell Push* came out last week. It is edited by E. K. Brown.

Young Robt. Rtes, Dr. Clardy's appointee as Cadet at Annapolis, has resigned on account of trouble with his eyes. He is from Union county.

The Princeton Banner issued a handsome trade edition last week, which was well patronized by Princeton's enterprising business men.

The New York World points out the fact that McKimley has pardoned a bank-wrecker every three weeks since he has been in a position to help his friends.

It is announced in the *Courier Journal* from Frankfurt that the device will not be taken off the ballots who is it that is authorized to speak in advance for the 102 Democrats in the Legislature?

According to Latham, Alexander & Co's circular, the total cotton crop of the United States is estimated at 10,188,000 bales. They express the opinion that "the market hereafter will not prove to be in excess of the movement of a normal cotton year." The price in New York is 11 1/2 cents, against about 7 1/2 in 1896 and 8 1/2 in 1895.

The Dispatch of Sunday contained interviews with several of the Kentucky Congressmen in regard to Congressional matters. Dr. Clardy expressed himself as follows:

"The Republican party is badly enized in the views entertained on most of the public issues, and consequently I do not expect an agreement will be reached on the currency question, and probably nothing will be done. The Democrats, however, though now thoroughly united, can enact no law not agreeable to the majority. We should unite to resist the adoption of the measures inconsistent with Democratic principles, and not therefore in the interest of the people. We should, if possible, modify some of the provisions of the civil service act. No life tenure offices should be tolerated in a free republic. I think the Democratic party, if in power, would immediately do something for Cuba, as well as for silver. The inconsistency of admitting Hawaii and refusing any aid to Cuba is apparent. As no legislation is probable on the great issues of the day, there seems no necessity for a long session. In fact, there is a selfish Congress does the better of the country."

Advocates are in favor of... NOW ON... (ad.)

Owing to the speculations of the Armour and Leites at Chicago last week, wheat went as high as \$1.09, but closed for the week at \$1.03. The Armour's have sold a large quantity of December wheat, estimated at from 7,000,000 to 10,000,000 bushels at 85 cents and the Leites are buying the market to keep them from getting the wheat on a spot demand. It is a battle of giants and all previous wheat deals dwindle into insignificance compared with this. Millions to be lost or gained is the issue at stake. Armour is securing the Northwest for cash wheat and has bought much of it but is still operating at a great disadvantage. If he fails to get the wheat, the Leites are liable to put the price up to \$1.50.

Emil Lueders, a German subject, was arrested in Haiti, it was claimed illegally. Germany sent two warships to Haiti with instructions to bombard Port Au Prince within eight hours unless reparation was made. Before that time expired the Haytian government solicited the German flag and prevailed in the dust at the feet of the German Emperor. This leads the American citizens who have been confined in Spanish dungeons, some of them for years, to almost wish that they were German subjects. What has been most needed in the White House for the last five years is a back bone.

Dr. Hunter will sail for Guatemala, on Dec. 20th. He may not be received as minister in Honduras, to which country he is also accredited.

### Holiday Excursion Rates.

The Illinois Central R. R., will sell tickets to all points on the Southern lines, and to points on St. Louis division, between Paducah and St. Louis, Cairo and Ashley Ill., on Dec. 22, 23, 24, 25, 30 and 31st and Jan. 1st, at one and one-third fare for round trip. Return limit Jan. 4th.

### Savannah.

J. T. Hall, city scavenger can be reached by telephone at any time Call No. 161.

At the residence of W. J. Sexton, Todd county, Kentucky, Virgil Simmons shot Sexton in a row, caused by the refusal of Miss Sexton to dance with Simmons, because she had another engagement. Sexton is not dangerously wounded. Simmons escaped.

### How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Prop., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

Rev. W. K. Piner, D. D., of Hopkinsville, Ky., has promised to assist the Rev. H. B. Thompson in a projected meeting to begin Jan. 21. Dr. Piner is favorably known here. He made many friends while attending the Epworth League convention here in 1896. The Methodist people are expecting a great meeting—Paducah Register.

Jesse Lockert, a little son of Mr. Joe Lockert, of Guthrie, suffered an attack of paralysis last week, which has rendered him deaf and dumb.

## Puny Children

Who would prescribe only tonics and bitters for a weak, puny child? His muscles and nerves are so thoroughly exhausted that they cannot be whipped into activity. The child needs food; a blood-making, nerve-strengthening and muscle-building food.

### Scott's Emulsion

of Cod-Liver Oil is all of this, and you still have a tonic in the hypophosphites of lime and soda to act with the food. For thin and delicate children there is no remedy superior to it in the world. It means growth, strength, plumpness and comfort to them. Be sure you get SCOTT'S Emulsion.

and \$1.00, all druggists.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

## Was Growing Worse

Liver and Stomach Troubles—Too Weak to Work—Now Able to Do All Her Housework.

"I was under the care of a physician for two years and he was treating me for stomach and liver troubles and female difficulties, but I only grew worse under his treatment. I was so weak I could do hardly any work. I was at last induced to try Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills and those medicines have done me so much good that I now weigh 112 pounds and am able to do all my housework. I firmly believe I could not have been in my grave today if I had not been for Hood's Sarsaparilla. My little girl was afflicted with phthisis. I gave her Hood's Sarsaparilla and it has relieved her." Mrs. R. S. HARTER, 201 University Avenue, Knoxville, Tennessee.

## Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the best—In fact the One True Blood Purifier. At all druggists. Be sure to get Hood's. Careful! Pills easy to take. Hood's Pills easy to operate. Be sure.

## Mystic Midgets.....

Liliputian Carnival of Nations.

HOLLAND'S OPERA HOUSE

Dec. 17 and 18.

PRESENTED BY

The pupils of the Hopkinsville Public Schools,

FOR THE—

Public School Library.

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## Mid Winter BARGAINS Right Now.

Owing to the fact that some of our stock is broken, we have decided to

## Move Out Some Lines of Goods.

Childrens Shoes, worth 75c, 5 to 8 at..... 50c  
Childrens Shoes, Kid and Grain, worth \$1.25 at..... 75c  
Our Little Giant Kids, 8 to 12, worth \$1.50, at..... 1 00  
Lilly Brackets Custom \$3 shoes for..... 2 00  
Lilly Brackets Custom \$5 shoes for..... 3 00

A lot of Childrens Woolsen and part Shirt waist, worth 50c, 75c and \$1, your choice..... 25c  
Three lots, consisting of 20 Boys \$10.00 Overcoats, sizes 15, 16, 17 and 18, for..... 6 00  
Your choice of any 50c or 75c Mens and Boys Caps in the house for..... 25c

Our space will not permit us to give one half of the many articles that are being offered for a song.

## MAMMOTH CLOTHING & SHOE CO.

## Breech Loading

## SHOT-GUNS

## With the Tariff OFF!

The Dingley Tariff Bill places a heavy duty on shot guns. We bought a heavy stock of these imported shot guns before the tariff applied, and offer you a fine imported, breech loading, double barreled gun, with extension matted rib, rubber butt plate, rebounding bar locks, laminated steel barrels.

WORTH \$17.50  
FOR \$12.50.

We have some cheaper and some finer, varying in price from

\$10.00 to \$100.

Our Stock of

Cutlery, Carving Sets, Fire Sets, Razors, Revolvers, Coal Vases, Table Cutlery, have had large additions with a view of

Pleasing Holiday Shoppers.

WE ASK THE FAVOR OF A VISIT.

FORBES & BRO.

HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

There was a baby show Ninth Street Presbyterian church last Saturday and the infantile competition was quite lively. Little Miss Irene B. captured the first prize, and Jack Savage, son of Mr. Joe Savage, Jr., was second best. As the judges are still hiding out, their names could not be learned.

Mr. John Wesley Henderson, a prominent and well-known citizen of Civil in Bull Springs district, is quite low with Bright's disease.

## Something For Nothing.

No, really, we are not giving clothing away, but at these prices it comes pretty near it. We will give you your choice of our magnificent line of

**\$30.00 SCOTCHES FOR \$25.00.**

For the next few days we make the above offer in order to turn goods into cash, notwithstanding the fact that we buy the same goods under the new tariff we will be obliged to get from \$30.00 to \$35.00 for the same quality of goods.

The Workmanship is Just the Same.

**TOBIN & BERRY.**

### KLONDIKE AT HOME.

Go to the Jewelry Business and Get Rich.

The following is a part of an editorial copied from the "Jeweler Weekly" and the "National Retail Jeweler." An act intended "To Prevent Fraud" in the manufacture and sale of gold and silver wares, watches, jewelry, spectacles, diamonds, &c.

"The fraud has become so general all over the country that it has become necessary to enact laws to protect the honest States to check the evil. New York and Massachusetts have taken the necessary step and passed such laws. As the present agitation has clearly shown that the sales of jewelry by legitimate jewelers largely depend upon the middle class, which is a rule, it is not surprising that between gold 6 carats fine and gold 14 carats fine and diamonds from pure quartz, these laws should prove beneficial to the legitimate trade. The retailer who sells inferior articles as solid gold and silver articles and secure patronage because he sells at what appears to be a very low price. It is useless to deny that at present there are manufacturers who produce gold jewelry of 6, 8 and 10 carats and stamp it 14 carats, and there are many unprincipled retailers, especially outside of the legitimate trade, who are selling brass to the uninitiated for gold and white metal stamped sterling silver. It is not surprising that such frauds exist when there is nothing to prevent them. Honest, legitimate retail jewelers all over the country are groaning under the weight of a great evil. The vast amount of stuff sold as gold and silver of certain quality by snide dealers is filling their pockets with wealth while the legitimate jeweler is forced to calmly look on and witness the perpetration of these frauds." There are but few laws in New York and Trigg counties but what have bought one or more articles in the jewelry line from M. D. Kelly in the last 25 years, and today they tell you of, or show you an engagement or wedding ring, a watch, gold spectacle, or a set of silver or plated spoons, a diamond ring, something bought from the "Old Reliable" ten or twenty years ago and which has proved to be all that M. D. Kelly represented it to be. The number and of many who are selling these goods today as the above article clearly shows, and the clear headed lady or gentleman who wishes to purchase a good honest article at a reasonable price during the Holidays will take no risk by purchasing from that old reliable house who has built up an enviable reputation for honest and square dealing, and when it is known that it came from the house of M. D. Kelly no one will doubt its being genuine and taken all ways to be found in the same old stand North Main street opposite Bassett's dry goods store and between Cooper and Henderson streets.

Remember that a warrant from this house is worth something.

### Administrators' Notice.

All persons having claims against the estate of Felix W. Biggert, deceased, will present them, properly verified before Jan. 1st, and all persons indebted to same, must come forward and settle before that date.

### H. W. BRACKETT, Adm'r.

**Myrtle Higgins a Great Success.**  
A large crowd at Columbia Hall on West 60th st., witnessed the first production of this drama last evening for the benefit of St. Paul's church. The young people are to appear each evening this week and Saturday Matinee, a large sum will be realized for the benefit of the church and the music attractive. —New York Sun.

Felix Agius, editor of the Baltimore American, is preparing to meet Senator Wellington in the libel courts and promises some sensational surprises. Mr. Agius will not only attempt to establish the truth of the statements which have appeared in his paper regarding the senator from Maryland, but will go even further. He says that he intends to show up Mr. Wellington to such an extent that nothing any man chooses to say about him hereafter will be libelous. —Chicago Record.

A postoffice has been established at South's Switch, Crittenden county, the I. C. and named Gladstone. M. M. Gilbert was made postmaster.

### PERSONAL GOSPEL.

Mr. C. M. Fleenor, of Bowling Green, was here Saturday.

Mrs. T. W. Gardiner has returned from a visit to Pennsylvania.

Mrs. J. F. Danforth, went to Fairview last week to visit her parents.

Miss Mattie McKeays, of Elkton is visiting relatives near Julien.

Mr. H. H. Abernathy will leave for Texas to-morrow, to be absent several weeks.

Mr. Frank Ball, of the Nashville Sun, visited friends in the city Saturday.

Mrs. Jno. B. Trice visited her sister Mrs. V. L. Waller, at Madisonville last week.

Mr. W. S. Young and family, of Elkton, will move to Trigg county about Jan. 1.

Miss Angie Hollis, of Tennessee, is visiting the family of her brother, Mr. W. Hollis, in Pembroke.

Messrs. F. M. Byars and N. A. Barnett have returned from a business trip to Nashville.

Miss Marion Lander will leave to-day for Nashville to accept a position in the Morningstar Retreat, Dr. B. W. Stone's private Sanitarium.

Rev. A. W. Mescham, of Gracely, is in town yesterday, having come up to attend church the day before.

Miss Louise Green has returned to her home in Clarksville, after a visit of three weeks to Mrs. Judge Buckner Leavell.

Miss Annie Nicholson, a most attractive young lady from Greendale, Miss., arrived last week and will be one of the bridesmaids at the McCormack-Tyler wedding. She is a Southern beauty of a most charming type.

As heretofore announced the marriage of Miss Marie Tyler to Dr. Arthur T. McCormack will be the society event of this week. The wedding will take place at the Episcopal church at noon to-morrow and will be followed by a wedding breakfast at Hotel Latham. The bridal party was entertained Sunday by Mr. W. A. Radford of the same vicinity. The party will be at Hotel Latham until the departure of Dr. and Mrs. McCormack on their wedding tour.

### AROUND AND ABOUT

Mahla Gibson committed suicide at Hickman on account of a love affair.

Judge Asa W. Tenney, of the United States District Court, died at his home in Brooklyn.

A gubernatorial bee is believed to be buzzing about the head of Judge Paynter, of the Court of Appeals.

Bandits who held up a train in Texas, were put to flight by train guards. The leader of the robbers was killed.

Rev. F. Z. Burkett, a Christian minister, was caught in a room with a girl at midnight, at Anderson, Ind., and was arrested.

The Livingston county jail at Smithland, is empty, and has been since the last term of Circuit Court, several months ago.

Joseph Reid, a well-known lawyer from Louisville, was assassinated at Frankfort, in that State, Thursday night.

In the neighborhood of \$100,000 was stolen from registered letters on a postal route leaving New York November 9.

The four-year-old son of Mr. Oscar Lyon, father of the Mayfield quintuplets, is dead. Mr. Lyon's oldest son was killed by a train a short time ago.

The Board of Stewards of the Cumberland Presbyterian church at Greenville, have secured the Rev. Berhies of Sturgis, to occupy the pulpit at that place for the ensuing year.

During the year 2,241 illicit stills were destroyed and thirty-two were removed. Eight hundred and twenty-nine persons were arrested, one killed and three were wounded. Of the stills seized and destroyed 228 were located in Alabama, 811 in Georgia, 493 in North Carolina and 245 in Virginia.

# OTHERS TALK— BUT WE DO THE BUSINESS!

We want to invoice January 1st, so we must commence to clean them up now. Don't forget that this is for a few days only. We want you to save money by buying early. We are the only Mammoth Grocery in the city. Hurrah for Xmas. A bomb shell exploded in the midst of soldiers could not create more consternation than we are now with our immense stock.



### The Fat of the Land

in fine establishments all kinds will be found at CLARK'S in their choicest form. Everything the world produces in condiments, teas, coffees, canned goods, cereals and all the delicacies of the season will be found here at any time to please the most epicurean taste. We receive choice dairy products and fresh fish and vegetables every day.

### Cupid's Offering to Lovers

of a royal feast for their tables is the delicious canned goods, in both tin and glass, that we have selected from the best packers of both Europe and this country. We carry a choice line of both canned and potted meats, canned fruits, jams, vegetables, soups, fish, etc., and the choicest relishes in olives, truffles, olive oils, etc., which are renowned the world over for purity and excellence.



### 1/2 LY NECESITIES

17 pounds Boston Granulated for.....	1.00
19 pounds Fancy Claried Sugar for.....	1.00
1c Sugar and Block Sugar 2 pounds for.....	15c
Arbuckle's Ario a Coffee, any amount, per package.....	11c
10 pounds Good Green Coffee for.....	1.00
8 pounds Fancy Rio Coffee for.....	1.00
10 Bars of good Washing Soap for.....	25c
8 Bars of Pretty Soap for.....	25c
3 Cakes of Toilet Soap for.....	5c
50 pounds Pure Leaf Lard for.....	3.25
14 pounds of Pure Leaf Lard for.....	1.00
14 pounds of the Best Head Rice for.....	1.00
Per pound, any quantity.....	8c
20 pounds of Good Rice for.....	1.00
Per pound, any quantity.....	6c
Pure Grain L'epper, per pound.....	15c
Cayenne 'Pepper, pure, per pound.....	30c
Ground Sage, per pound.....	30c

### FINE COFFEE.

We want to say that we have as fine Roasted Coffee as you can procure; once used always used. It is a Mocha and Java Blend, made by Heekins & Co., Cincinnati, Ohio.

### ONLY 25c Lb.

Money refunded if not good.

Best Lump Starch, made, per pound.....	5c
1 pound can Comet Baking Powders.....	10c
1 pound of Clark's, one spoon as good as Prices or Royal cost you only one half as much.....	25c
Good quality Extracts, per bottle.....	10c

We also handle Prices and Royals and Baking Powders. Try our tea, 25c, 50c and..... They are all pure and fine.

Preserves, Tomato Catsup, Mince Meat, etc. A nice line to select from.

The finest Mince Meat, per pound..... 12c

Good Fruit Mince Meat per pound..... 10c

Turnips, per peck..... 15c

Irish Potatoes, per peck..... 25c

Dried Beans, per gallon..... 25c

Black Eyed Peas, per gallon..... 25c

### SOME SWEET THINGS.

Never before have we had such a large and fine assortment of candies. We have the finest line of hand-made creams and chocolates made, at The Wonderful Price of 35c per lb., this candy is worth double.	
Fancy Mixed Candy per pound.....	10c
3 pounds Stick Candy for.....	25c
French Kisses, per pound.....	15c
Sugar Kisses, 2 pounds for.....	25c
Taffy Candy, the best, 15c or 2 pounds for.....	25c
Corn Taffy, broken, per pound.....	10c
Mixed and Gum, 3 pounds for.....	25c
Senator Mixed Pure Sugar, per pound.....	15c
Fancy Creams, per pound.....	20c
Full hand made Creams and Nut Choc., extra fine, per pound.....	25c
Chocolates, good, per pound.....	20c
Extra Fine Chocolates, per pound.....	35c
2 Packs Firecrackers.....	5c
Caution crackers, each.....	1c
3 Ball Roman Candle, each.....	1c
6 Ball Roman Candles, doz. u.....	15c
8 Ball Roman Candles, doz. u.....	20c
10 Ball Roman Candles, dozen.....	20c
15 Ball Roman Candles, per dozen.....	50c
20 Ball Roman Candles, per dozen.....	80c
25 Ball Roman Candles, per dozen.....	1.35
6 oz. Sky Rockets, each.....	4c
8 oz. Sky Rockets, each.....	6c
16 oz. Sky Rockets, each.....	10c
Cap Pistols.....	5c
14 Boxes of Caps for.....	5c

### TINWARE.

2 Gallon Bucket.....	14c
1 Gallon Bucket.....	10c
4 Quart Bucket.....	8c
Lanterns.....	49c
Pans of all kinds as cheap as dirt.....	
Dolls, Toys, Games, Books, Teasetts, Horns, etc., for Children.....	

### Canned Goods.

We are over loaded—the prices went higher than a cat's back, but I bought early and must reduce my stock by Jan. 1st. These prices will move them.	
Wild Rose Corn, per dozen 86c, or 2 doz. cans.....	1.60
Perfectum Corn, dozen \$1.20 or 2 dozen cans.....	2.25
Gold Medal Corn, dozen \$1. or 2 dozen cans.....	1.90
3 pound can Polks or Mutton Tomatoes, dozen \$1.00; only 1 case sold to a customer, for.....	2.00
3 pound can String Beans, per dozen.....	1.15
2 pound can String Beans, dozen.....	90c
2 pound can Red Cherries, dozen.....	1.00
White Swan Asparagus, worth 35c can, for.....	25c
Bull head Gooseberries, dozen.....	1.00
Sugar Loaf Early June Peas, per dozen can.....	1.20
Superior Early June Peas, per dozen can.....	1.10
Boyers French Peas, per dozen cans.....	1.75
Fruit & Single Grated Pine Apple, per dozen.....	2.25
1 pound can Pine Apple, per dozen.....	1.10
San Salvador Grated or sliced per dozen.....	2.00

### Canned Goods

#### Knocked Out in Price.

#### California Goods.

3 cans Bartlett's Pears, per dozen.....	2.15
8 cans Bartlett's Apples, per dozen.....	1.85
White Health Peaches, per dozen.....	2.00
They are fine heavy syrup. Black Cherries, per dozen.....	2.25
Plum Pudding, per box.....	25c
Large Size, per box.....	45c
3 lb. can Bull-head Oysters 15c, or 1 dozen for.....	1.75
Oregon Salmon, per dozen.....	1.00

Spare Ribs, Back Bones, Fresh Hogs, Turkeys, Chickens, Birds, Ducks, Geese, and in fact everything good is at The Boy Grocer, C. R. CLARK, Mgr.	
Box Paper and Envelopes.....	5c
Knives and Forks from 35c set to.....	3.50
Spoons set for 4c; better grade at.....	1.00
Lots of other things cheap.	

### QUEENSWARE, TOYS.

#### Etc. Etc.

We have the most complete line we have ever bought.

Chamber sets from \$2.25 to 5, 6, 8, 10 and \$12.50 each.

Dinner Sets ranging in price from \$5 to \$19.50.

6 plates Heavy China for 30c.

6 handled Cups and Saucers, 30c.

Lamp Complete for 15 cents.

Everything else in proportion.

3 pounds Fancy California Prunes for..... 25c || 2 pounds Large California Prunes for..... | 25c |
Fine Choice Prunes per pound.....	10c
Nice quality. Evaporated Apples, per lb. 12½c	
Evaporated Peaches per 10 to 12½c	

### Figs, Nuts, Raisins, &c.

Fancy London Layer Raisins 10c pound or 2 pounds for.....	25c
Fancy Layer Figs, per pound.....	15c
Large Muscated Raisins, per pound.....	10c
10 lbs. Fresh Pecans for 75 or 3 pounds for.....	25c
Fancy Filberts, per pound.....	15c
Brazil Nuts, new, per pound.....	15c
English Walnuts, extra fancy, per pound.....	20c
Targona Almonds, fancy, per pound.....	20c
Fancy Leghorn Citrus, per pound.....	30c
Cleaned Currants, per box.....	5c
Seedless Raisins, per box.....	10c
Full Cream Cheese, fine, 3 pounds for.....	50c
Maccaroni, new and fine.....	10c

### Guns From

**\$10.00 to 35.00**

Nails in any quantity, per lb. 3c

Shot by the Sack..... 1.35

Powder, per pound..... 25c

Shells, 25 in box, per box..... 35c

Molasses from 25 to 50c gallon

We are The Original Cut Price Grocery house in Hopkinsville—have been immen-

## E. B. CLARK & CO.,

### Wholesale and Retail G















## HERE AND THERE

Diamonds at Hardwick's.

James Gant and Kate Hudspeth, a colored couple, were married yesterday by Judge Brantlett.

Griffith's for fine caudles.

A dancing school has been opened at Crofton.

Solid silver spoons at Hardwick's.

The commission for the new map intrates have all arrived with the Governor's signature attached.

Offices for rent. Apply to Ragsdale, Cooper & Co.

Fine repair work, clocks and watches, at Hardwick's.

Rev. J. A. Bennett, of Fairview, is carrying on a protracted meeting in McLean county.

Go to Griffith's for good things to eat.

All Holiday goods at cut prices at Hardwick's.

The Mystic Midgets in fairyland and the lilliputian carnival of nations on the 18th and 19th.

Solid gold goods of all kinds at Hardwick's.

—Dr. E. N. Fruit, Dentist, office over City Bank, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Full line of Fireworks at Griffith's.

R. P. Morris, the Crofton hotel man, will go to Madisonville this week to take charge of the New Belmont Hotel.

—For rent for 1897—Store room in the Howe building. Apply to T. W. Loxo.

Elegant baskets of fruits, fixed all styles, at Griffith's.

Johnson's Chills and Fever Tonic cures fever in one day. For sale by R. C. Hardwick.

Candies, nuts, fruits, etc., at Griffith's.

Walter E. Leigh, Attorney at Law, second floor Howe building.

Headquarters for "X-mas trink" at Griffith's.

—For La Grippe take Johnson's Chills and Fever Tonic. You money back if not cured with one bottle. For sale by R. C. Hardwick.

Silver goods of all kinds at Hardwick's.

Griffith's Christmas Depot is the place for everything good to eat. See him.

For Rent—Three or four nice of Bds. Apply to Ragsdale, Cooper & Co.

A "Mystery Tea" was given at Mr. J. E. McPherson's Friday evening and the affair was thoroughly enjoyed by all who attended.

—Farm, stock and tools to exchange for city property. W. W. WARE.

Joe Fowright, the tailor, will clean and repair your clothes and make them look like new. West Seventh street, opp. New Era office.

—Gish & Garner's Wild Goose Liniment cures rheumatism and neuralgia. It touches the spot. At all drug stores. 116d.

Next Saturday is the day set apart for the closing of Hotel Latham. Much regret is heard on every side. The hotel was opened in January 1897.

If you buy of Reeves you get the best quality of groceries at bottom figures. Did you ever try him? If not, do so before the Christmas rush.

—Buy your sweetheart a Christmas present that will be kept; get it from Graves & Condy.

Several of the Hopkinsville warehousemen were in Cadiz yesterday interviewing Trigg county farmers concerning their tobacco.

—Dollars do more than 100 cents worth of work at Graves & Condy's.

Reeves wants to see you about that Christmas order and will save you money.

A new general merchandise store has been opened at Fruit Hill.

See Reeves for Christmas candies, fruits, nuts, etc. All fresh and strictly reliable goods.

Mr. Peter Ryan was thought to be slightly better yesterday.

—Sterling Silver novelties at Graves & Condy's.

Since the recent rains much fallowing has been done by the farmers.

Reeves sells "Morning Joy" coffee an excellent article. Try it.

"The Exchange" at Haysen, has ceased publication.

For fine works call on Reeves.

The regular December term of the Montgomery County Criminal court began in Clarksville yesterday.

—It is a Christmas present comes from Graves & Condy's it's alright.



The Louisville Times has this mention of a well known insurance man who was in the city last week adjusting a loss: "James W. Powell has the peculiar distinction of being the only insurance man in Kentucky to resign from the Executive Committee of the Kentucky and Tennessee Board after having been unanimously elected. Mr. Powell was honored at the last annual meeting, receiving the vote of every company represented. He was unable to give the office the time it required and resigned, the resignation being reluctantly accepted. Mr. Powell has been in the business for fifteen years. For five years he has been special agent of the Royal in Kentucky and Tennessee. He is a good business getter, a reliable inspector and an excellent adjuster. In every branch of insurance work Mr. Powell has shown marked ability. Before going with the Royal he was special agent for the Germania Insurance Company of Freeport, Ill. Mr. Powell is married and lives at Mt. Sterling. His headquarters are in Louisville, however."

Fresh meats, game and fish at Reeves'. FANCY FOWLS, the monthly poultry magazine issued from the KENTUCKIAN office during the last seven months, is meeting with unexpected success. It has been on a paying basis from the first number and its business has given until the December number issued yesterday contains five pages of advertisements from all parts of the country. There is a demand for every copy of the magazine in Kentucky and Fancy Fowls seems to be meeting it. The price is only 25 cents a year and it should be in the hands of every man and woman interested in thoroughbred poultry.

Another new Chandler & Price job press was put in by the KENTUCKIAN last week. The office was also replenished by a large portion of the material of the Banner office, that paper having suspended publication a week or two ago. The KENTUCKIAN's job business is increasing every year and this year has not been an exception. We are now better prepared than ever to turn out the best work with unequalled dispatch.



## Special..... IN School Shoes

Woodbury's celebrated line of solid, dependable shoes at reasonable prices.

Sizes 5 to 8	98c
Sizes 8½ to 11	1.23
Sizes 11½ to 2	1.47

Fine and heavy dongola and grain, handsome and dressy but strong.

## BASSETT & CO.

Owing to the continued illness of Rev. C. H. Nash he was unable to fill his pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday. Dr. Edmund Harrison preached at the morning service and Rev. W. L. Payton, pastor at South Union, preached at night and after preaching administered the ordinance of baptism to fifteen of the converts of the recent meeting. Five persons united with the church at the morning service, making 24 additions to the membership this month.

—Incontinence of water during sleep stopped immediately by Dr. E. DETMON'S ANTI DIURETIC. Cures children and adults alike. Price \$1. Sold by R. C. Hardwick, Druggist, Hopkinsville, Ky.

The City Council is planning certain changes in the city hall building that will make room enough for several offices suitable for city offices. By remodeling the main floor rooms, offices can be arranged for city judge, city treasurer and mayor. A vault to hold the city records of all kinds is also being planned. Judge Leavelle, the new city judge, will make his office in the court room, unless some better provision is made, and he is prepared to hold court at any hour during the day.

If you are bound to look around, do so this time to me and I will sell you your furniture and save you money. My expenses are light. I can and will sell you cheaper than you can buy in this end of the State. I mean what I say. Try me.

A. W. PYLE.

It turned out upon investigation that Mrs. I. H. Pescher, whose house was burned Nov. 30, had a \$500 policy upon her household effects in a company represented by the late D. L. Johnson. Her son was of the opinion that the policy had expired, but an examination showed that it was still in force. The Royal's loss on the house was adjusted last week as a total loss.

There will be one of the very pleasant Reunions, for which the College is noted, at Bethel Female College Friday evening, followed by a Reception. The friends of the School are invited to be present.

## NOT ALWAYS UNDERSTOOD.

A fact often overlooked, or not always understood, is that women suffer as much from distressing kidney and bladder troubles as men. The womb is situated back of and very close to the bladder, and for that reason any distress, disease or inconvenience manifested in the kidneys, back, bladder or urinary passage is often, by mistake, attributed to female weakness or womb trouble of some sort.

The error is easily made and may be as easily avoided by setting urine aside for twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling is evidence that your kidneys and bladder need doctoring. If you have pain or dull aching in the back, pass water too frequently, or scanty supply, with smarting or burning—these are also convincing proofs of kidney trouble. If you have doctored without benefit try Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy. The mild and the extraordinary effect will surprise you. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures. If you take a medicine you should take the best. At druggists fifty cents and one dollar. You may have a sample bottle and pamphlet, both sent free by mail. Mention the Hopkinsville Kentuckian and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The proprietors of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

The colored Baptists of both of the local churches had a big joint baptizing at the creek at the foot of First street Sunday morning. There were between 30 and 40 converts baptized. Rev. E. Williams, of the Virginia street church, and Rev. C. G. Garrett, of the Main street church, officiated. A large crowd including many white people, witnessed the baptizing.

The examining trial of Dave Coward, col., charged with grand larceny, has been postponed until next Thursday.

R. S. McGeehee & Co., have opened up a general merchandise store at Elmo.

## THE BEST OF EVERYTHING FOR CHRISTMAS!

Right to the front of all competition we place our elegant new holiday stock, complete in assortment, splendid in quality. Overflowing with generous bargains, popular selections, plenty of variety. Newest attractions. Any quantity of suitable gifts for old and young. A thoroughly first class stock combining novelty, quality and elegance, with prices very low. Everybody delighted with : : : : :

OUR

## ..Holiday Display..

SEE IT

We solicit a comparison of goods and prices, knowing you will find our holiday line the best and cheapest. We are offering special inducements for you to buy early. Don't put it off any longer, come now and avoid the rush that will certainly later come, and let us show you what we have for you.

## RICHARDS & COMPANY.

### SPECIAL LOCALS.

#### BUCKNER & CO., Real Estate Agents

OFFICE OVER FIRST NATIONAL BANK.  
Dealers in all classes of real estate, buy, sell and rent. — 203 HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

The dangers of civilization are overwork, worry and germs. We used a vitalizing power to sustain life. Learned men and experienced point to pure whiskey. Primitive men did not need whiskey. We do. Changed conditions bring fresh needs. And THE whiskey is HARPER.  
For sale by W. R. LONG, HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

#### Cash paid for Bonds and Bank Stock

Money loaned at 6 per cent. in sums of \$1,500, and upwards on good farms in Kentucky and Tennessee not exceeding 40 percent. of appraised value. Dealings to sell or rent. WALTER F. GARNETT & CO., Financial and Insurance Agents.

#### Oil in Christian County.

I have in my hands for sale a fine farm of 667 acres, on which there are sure signs of petroleum. There is a well on the farm 90 feet deep, and in the Spring of the year, the water is so strong with kerosene that the stock will not drink it. This farm must be sold. If you want to get rich write or call on W. S. Hale, at Hopkinsville, Ky.

## Success OF Royal Liquor Co.

Is An Assured Fact.  
Only open 3 weeks and success is ours.

Our business methods, and high class of stock carried, have met the approval of the people of Christian and surrounding counties.

#### ROYAL LIQUOR CO., 203 S. Main street, Opp. First Nat. Bank

Only and original whisky store in this section of the State, where only the best, oldest, and purest Whiskies, Brandy and Wines can be found:

Our Whiskies direct from U. S. Government Bonded Warehouses which guarantee their absolute purity.

Such famous brands as following are to be found in our stock: Old Payne, Old Prentiss, Old Thoroughbred, Ky. Oaks, Ky. Belle, Crystal Springs, Robertson County, Knox County, Tenn., White Corn.

We want the best trade and are getting it.  
NOTHING SOLD BY THE DRINK. BOTTLE, JUG AND KEG TRADE A SPECIALTY.

PHONE 163-2 Rings. Come and See Us.

#### ROYAL LIQUOR CO., 203 S. Main St., Opp. First Nat. Bank. S. J. SAMUELS, Prop.

## WHY? I AM BOUND TO MOVE.

Send money away from Hopkinsville for  
Monuments  
or Cemetery  
Work

When your home shop can supply the finest monuments at lower prices than agents.

Your Orders Solicited.  
Best of References and Satisfaction Guaranteed.

ROBT. H. BROWN,  
HOPKINSVILLE, KY.  
7th and Virginia streets.

The army of Mystic Midgets will be seen at the Opera House Friday and Saturday, when they will be greeted by a large audience. The caustic Mystic Midgets has won high praise in other cities, being greeted with crowded houses and enthusiastic audiences and there is no doubt from the present sale of tickets that there will be a large number here to see this cautions. There will be a chorus of 70 voices to sing the new and popular music designed expressly for this cantata, (with effect of a full orchestra), the whole affair will be very pleasing.

Last week seven Duroc Jersey sows owned by B. A. Whitaker, at Mulberry, farrowed and between them, 21 pigs—Fayetteville Observer, Dec. 2d.

## Look Out

For the Lowest Prices you ever saw, on—

## Groceries, Wines, Liquors, Etc.

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I do not want to move a thing but the fixtures and I am going to "shovel'em out."

## McKEE, The Grocer.

The "Deceitful Skule" will be presented at Richmond by local talent on December 14.

Thieves entered the residence of A. Striker, at Princeton, Friday night and got \$157 and a gold watch.

The Sandusky House at Central City is being rebuilt. It was destroyed by fire several months since.

Luther Farmer, of Marion, has been appointed guard at the Eddyville prison.

A candy pulling was given at Mr. C. G. Duke's Saturday evening. It was largely attended by the young people of that vicinity and proved to be a very pleasant affair. Miss L. McCannan assisted in performing the duties of hostess.